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In re Application of:)
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Robert Dixon Roorda et al.)
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Serial No.: 10/017,912) Group Art Unit: 2877
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Filed: December 14, 2001) Examiner: Unknown
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For: BEAM-STEERING OF MULTI-)
CHROMATIC LIGHT USING)
ACOUSTO-OPTICAL)
DEFLECTORS AND)
DISPERSION-COMPENSATORY)
OPTICS)

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.56, 1.97 and 1.98, Applicants
disclose the following information:

1. U.S. Patent No. 5,002,348 inventor Wolf, issued March 26, 1991;
2. U.S. Patent No. 5,128,798, inventors Bowen et al., issued July 7, 1992; and
3. U.S. Patent No. 6,037,967, inventors Allen et al., issued March 14, 2000.

Copies of the foregoing documents are provided with this paper. In addition, these
documents are listed on the enclosed PTO Form FB-A820. Applicant respectfully requests
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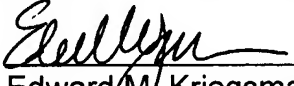
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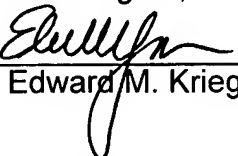
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